

DOCTOR W. A. STOKER RESIGNS.

New Superintendent of Southern Indiana Asylum Not Named.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Evansville, Ind., May 2—Doctor W. A. Stoker, who for the last three years, has been Superintendent of the Southern Indiana Insane Asylum in this city, handed in his resignation to the Board of Trustees today to take effect June 1. His successor will not be named for several days.

Doctor Stoker for several years was at the head of the institution at Kanakee, Ill., and was a close friend of the late Governor John Tanner of Illinois.

SPECIALTIES.

Mississippi Valley Trust Company

Executer, Administrator, Guardian, Curator, And in All Other Trust Capacities.

DEATHS.

AUGUSTIN—At 7:30 p. m., Friday, May 1, 1970. Edwin, dear beloved son of Otto F. and Ottille Augustin (nee Weigener), sister of Hilda at the age of 3 years and 35 months. Funeral from family residence, No. 3807 lowa avenue. Sunday, May 3, at 2 p. m.

BECKER-On Friday, May I, 1900, at 10:30 p. n., Katherine Becker, beloved daughter of

CORNEY-On Wednesday, April 29, 1803, after brief illness, at Houston, Tex., Robert Adam-

CUNNINGHAM-Entered into rest on Friday, May 1, 1903, at 8 o'clock a. m., Patrick E. Cunwill take place from Donnelly's funera

FINN-On Saturday, May 2, 1993, at 11:20 a.m., Kennith, beloved son of Edward and Nancy Finn (nee Triggs), after a short illices, at the age of 1 year 5 months and 11 days.

Funeral Monday, May 4, at 2 p. m., from family residence, No. 1104 Palm street. Friends instituted to attend

HILDERBRAND—Entered into rest, April 20, 1903, David Hilderbrand, aged 42 years, beloved brother of airs. Mary Youd of Denver, Calo., and Mrs. Lyam Goss. Funeral will take place from residence of his aister, Mrs. Lydia Goss, No. 2406 Dickson street, Monday, May 4, at 9 a. m. Friends invited to

day.

Funeral will take place on Sunday, May 3, at 1:30 e. m., from family residence, No. 1101 Pennsylvania avenue, to St. Mary and Joseph's Church, thence to Mount Olive Cemetery. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Dayton, O., papers please copy.

Funeral will take place from family residence No. 123 Carr street, on Sunday, May 2, at c'clock n. m., to 8t. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully in adler' Sodality. New York, Chicago and San Francisco papers

KENNEDY—On Friday, May 1, 1848, at 1:30 a. m., Mary Fiorence Kennedy, beloved daughter of Mamle Kennedy (me Lee), and the late J. E. Kennedy, and grandchild of Mrs. Mary Lee, aged 2 years and 6 months.
Funeral from family residence, No. 827 Brooklyn street, on Sunday, May 2, at 2 p. m., to Cal-

MULDOON-Suddenly, on Thursday, April 30, 1983, Patrick Muldoon, father of John F. and Joseph Muldoon and Mrs. Joseph P. Kelly (nee Muldoon) Funeral will take place from residence, No.

Funeral 133 Hogan street, Sunday, May 5, at 2 p. m., 133 Hogan street, Sunday, May 5, at 2 p. m., 133 Hogan street, St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery, St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. MUDD—On Friday, May 1, 1908, Henry T. Mudd, aged 84 years.
Funeral Sunday, May 3, at 5 p. m., from No. 4144 Washington avenue. Interment private. OCHENER-On Friday, May 1, 1903, C. Wil-liam Ochener, after lingering illness. Funeral services Monday, May 4, at 19 s. m., at residence. Interment private,

SIMPKINS-Soddenly at El Pase, Tex., on fednesday, April 19, 1995, at 10 o'clock p. m., Illiam H. Simosins, believed husband of Mary Simpkins and father of William H., Ir., Jo-ph, Laura. Winne and Mrs. R. Schroeder (nee

9:30 a. m., to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Ransom Post, G. A. R., First Missouri-Light Artillery, Legion of Honer and A. O. U. W.

NO REDUCTION IS PROBABLE.

Brooks Denies Report of 2-Cent Postal Rate to England.

Washington, May 2—Captain Brooks, superintendent of the foreign mail service in the Post Office Department, said this morning that there has been no recent progress in the agitation to establish a 2-cent letter rate between this country and England. Rumors that this rate was about to be established have been heard frequently during the last few weeks and have attracted much attention. Captain Brooks said:

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"A number of people have been urging this reduction for years, and one prominent English postal official never ceases to agitate the question, but I do not think the step will be taken or that it is advisable. There will be a universal postal congress at Rome next year to discuss a general readjustment of rates, and we would not make a special rate with England until after that congress has adjourned.

"To make a special 2-cent rate with England would be to return to the old idea of charging postage in proportion to the distance covered. If we make it 2 cents to England we should charge 15 cents for a letter to Expt and charge less for a letter to Baltimore than for one to "Frisco. I finish it better to maintain a uniform rate for all foreign countries rather than cause confusion by the promulgation of special rates."

"The letter rate is now 5 cents to all parts of the world, except North America. We have a 2-cent rate from the southern border of Mexico to the Arctic occun, and that is the only variation we deem advisable."

WIDENER TO BE DROPPED. Change in Directory of United Gas

Improvement Company. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Philadelphia, Pa., May 2.—At a conference held to-day at the United Gas Improvement Company's offices, between President Thomass Dolan and those immediately associated with him in the management of the corporation, it was finally decided to drop Peter A. R. Widener from the Board of Directors. This is the culmination of the differences between Mr. Dolan and Mr. Widener, which within the past few weeks have developed a very hitter feeling on both sides. The annual stockholders meeting of the United Gas Improvement Company will be held Tuesday.

A course of action has been carefully mapped out by the Dolan management, which holds proxies covering a great majority of the stock. It is not announced who will be put in Mr. Widener's place, but it is known that a man in the closest accord with Mr. Dolan has been selected.

White there have been sundry reports that Mr. Widener has it in mind to make some sensational move, one rumor has it that he may charge Mr. Dolan, Randall, Morgan and others with making private profits out of deals conducted by them as officers of the United Gas.

SOLDIERS DIE OF THE CHOLERA General Davis Reports Ten Deaths in the Philippines.

Washington, May 2.—Acting Adjutant General McCain has received a report from General Davis, commanding the Department of the Philippines, in which he says that ten deaths since his last report have oc-curred. Some were caused by cholera.

STATEMENT OF BANK AVERAGES. oans Have Increased Sharply, but De-

posits Grow Faster. York. May 2.-The statement of averages clearing-house banks of this city for the

week shows: Loans, \$14,679.9%; increase, \$13,433.590. Deposits, \$86,740.590; increase, \$1,8156.940. Circulation, \$43,356.990; increase, \$48,600. Legal tenders, \$74,183,590; increase, \$48,600. Legal tenders, \$74,183,590; increase, \$48,500. Specie, \$157,483,300; increase, \$1,552,400. Specie, \$157,483,300; increase, \$4,755,590. Reserve, \$23,521,500; increase, \$4,755,590. Reserve required, \$235,440,650; increase, \$4,523,-225.

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The Financier this week says:
The official statement of the New York Associated Banks last week showed, as the most striking feature, an increase of 114.55.500 in loans. This was doubtless due to negatiations incident to the payment of about \$5.500.000 on account of the new Eric convertible bonds, and also to the leans of morey which had been accumulated preparatory the disbursement of May interest and dividends.
The banks gained \$4.725.000 in cash, of which Italian to the leans of morey which had been accumulated preparatory that which was estimated from the traceable movements of money during the week, this estimate being \$4.46.500. Deposits were increased \$15.156.800, as the result of the gain in cash and of the augmented loans. As these items called for an increase in deposits of \$18.189.500, the atrial gain thereof indicates an unusually harmonious statement. The required reserve was laminous statement. The required reserve was laminous distributed in the lacroscal in cash leaves \$196.575 as the gain in Surplus reserve, which item now stands at \$11.181.807. Computed upon the lasts of deposits, less those of \$7.55.400 expenses in cash leaves \$196.575 as the gain in Surplus reserve. When the same of deposits of the surplus states of the cash from the lasts of deposits, less those of \$7.55.400 expenses in cash leaves \$10.500 expenses and on surplus reserve. Had it not been for these operations during the week above mentioned was entirely responsible for the unusually small summented. The hank clearings for the week showed a daily average of \$11.000,000 more than in the previous week, de-

VAST PROGRESS MADE IN THE CURE OF DISEASE.

WE CURE CANCER, CONSUMPTION, TUMOR AND MALIGNANT CROWTHS WITH THE X-RAY AND ULTRA VIOLET-RAY.

Until September, 1902, Caucer was considered an incurable disease, and CANCER Until September, 1902, Caucer was considered an incurable disease, and all that the medical profession could do in these cases was to alleviate the pain and suffering of patients so afflicted, but on the above date European and Suffering of patients so afflicted. But on the above date European and Suffering of patients and suffering of patients and suffering of patients. pean physicians began to apply frofessor Roentgen's discovery. The Ex-Ray, with astounding success, and, encouraged by the remarkable results they had obtained, they continued to investigate further into the curative properties of the X-Ray, until a positive cure was assured, and have since Cured Thousands of People with the X-Ray.

We have obtained from Europe (with special order) the Largest and flost Complete X-Ray Apparatus in the World at Enormous Cost, with which we are Curing Cancer, Consequentials and Turners.

It is a known fact that about One-Fifth of the Entire CONSUMPTION It is a known fact that about One-Fifth of the Entire Population of the World is afflicted with this dreadful disease (Consumption), and in this country alone there are thousands dving yearly from its ravages. Professor Niels R. Finsen, of Copenhagen, Denmark (who himself was a Consumptive), was deeply interested in this disease, and, going on his theory that every Disease has its Cure, set about to discover a cure for Consumption, and after many years of study and experimental work announced to the Medical Profession that he had at last found a Cure for Consumption in the now famous Ultra Violet-Ray, which bears his



Radiograph of Hand, Showing Difference in Density of Bone and Metal. Key Was Under Hand. The Above Photo Was Made With Apparatus Which We Use in All Treatments for Cancer, Tumor, Consumption, Etc.

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We have imported, direct from Denmark, the only genuine Violet-Ray machine in this country, with which we are curing Consumption and all Diseases of the Throat and

Many people are suffering from Tumor, but are either ignorant of Many people are suffering from Tumor, but are either ignorant of its seriousness and fatal termination if not attended to, or still believe, as of yore, that it is an incurable disease, hence place no cure Tumor, but if they will abandon their ancient belief, and begin upon a course of treatment for this disease, and all other forms of misignant growths, we can readily convince them of the benefits to be derived from our treatment with the X-Ray.

We have many cases of this sort now under our treatment, and have discharged hun-

RHEUMATISM. This painful and confining disease has blighted the hopes and ambitions of many energetic persons, who are unable to discharge their duties in life, attend to their business, or enjoy the social agonies. We are now curing Rheumatism with an Electrical Machine of high voltage, which was made especially for us after our own designs. If you are so afflicted, call upon us at once, and begin upon the course of treatment which will result in a cure for you.

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NERVOUS AND SKIN DISEASES. Slight Nervous Attacks, such as a majority of people are subject to having, often result in a very dangerous and serious condition, as Paralysis and Locomotor Ataxia. These nervous disturbances should be treated while still in their infancy, and we advise all people now suffering in this manner to call upon us for consultation and examination regarding same, and learn whatcan be done for them.

There are many forms of Skin Diseases and Facial Blemishes which are very annoying as well as humiliating to the sufferer. We treat all forms of Skin Diseases and Facial Blemishes with our Electrical Apparatus, made

DISEASES OF WOMEN. Women suffering from Cancer, Tumor or any Malignant Growth of the female organs need not despair, as we cure these troubles with the X-Ray and Violet-Ray without surgical operation. We also treat and cure Leucorrhea, painful and suppressed menstruation, Ovarian Diseases, and all private diseases of women, having the best equipped office for this work in this country.

All cases of Diseases of Women are treated by a thoroughly capable Specialist under the finest of sanitary conditions, thereby avoiding all danger resulting from incompetent Physicians and unclean offices.

FRACTURES AND DISLOCATIONS. We are prepared to make Radiographs of any part of the body to aid Physicians and Surgeons in their diagnosis.

OUR LABORATORY OFFICES. Our Laboratory and offices are equipped with the most complete set of apparatus for the treatment of all of the foregoing diseases, and we have spared no pains or expense to keep abreast with all other Laboratories of this character in the world, and, in fact, we are far advanced to any X-Ray Laboratory in the United States. We have invested many thousands of dollars in our appliances, and will give \$1,000 to any charitable institution if any physician can produce apparatus equal to ours. We are conducting this business in a strictly legitimate manner, and our only means of acquainting the pub-

lie with facts which we offer and cures that we make with our apparatus (all of which are very recent discoveries)

is through the daily press. We give no treatments at home or by mail, but respectfully invite correspondence from all out-of-town patients, as we have made arrangements whereby board and room can be obtained in vicinity of our office while under treatment at moderate cost

MISSOURI X-RAY LABORATORY,

OFFICE HOURS: DAILY, 9 A. M. TO 8 P. M. SUNDAYS, IO A. M. TO 4 P. M. 7201/2 PINE STREET, S. E. Cor, 8th and Pine Sts., ST. LOUIS.

pite the sluggish movement on the Stock Ex-nange. The increases in loans appeared to have een somewhat unequality distributed among the anks, for six of the larger downtown institu-

Burlington, Ia. May 2.—The river fell 2 inches and is now 1 feet 4 inches above low-water mays, Weather rainy and cold. Steamer Publique due from St. Paul at midnight. Eloise in and out. Warsaw, Ill., May 2.—Gauge reads 16.5 feet, a fall of 2 in past 24 hours. Weather cloudy and cooler. Strong west wind, Silver Crescent in and out.

Sparta Announced.

Sparta, Ill., May 2-In the intellectual contest of the Egyptian High School League, held here to-day, Cairo won first

EGYPTIAN HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

Marion; Carl Stephenson, Sparta.

Quartet—Linnle Green, Nell Merz, Kurzdorfer, Seth Hargrak and Millard McGruder, Cairo; Allen Hood, Charles Allen, Carl
Stephenson and Foster Weir, Sparta; Ethel

Berry, Cobden: Frank Doty, Murphysboro;
Geometry—Mary Galligan, Cairo; Dave
Wiley, Anna; Nellie John, Cobden; Lou
Davis, Marion; Mabel Engler, Cairo; Myre Stephenson and Foster Weir, Sparta; Ethel Benkhart, Lilly Goodal, Ida White and Jestin Townsend, Marion.
Essay-Eugene Pennebaker, Cairo; Alice Parker, Anna; Jestin Townsend, Marion, Spelling-Claude Phillips, Marion; Henry Tolson, Cairo; Charles Allen, Sparta, 'Arithmetic-Charles Hodson, Murphysboro; Frank Ervin, Sparta; Sidney Grear,

Anna.

Declamation-Eisie Kratzinger, Anna;
Amy Broadway, Cobden; L. Cohen, Cairo.
Algebra-Lillie Davis, Marion; George

Sparta High School easily won the dou-ble-header baseball games to-day from An-na High School, 17 to 2, and from Cairo High School, 18 to 0. DIES WITHOUT TELLING HIS NAME. Fever in Alton Hospital. An unidentified man died at St. Joseph

Hospital in Alton yesterday from typhoid He had applied for admission to the hosname or any clew to his identity. Debuty Coroner Streeper took charge of the body and will hold it for identification at his undertaking establishment in Upper Alton.

Child Is Seriously Burned. Joe Kelly the little son of John Kelly mine superintendent, was seriously barned last night by falling in a bon-fire while playing in front of his house at Maryville The child was burned about the head and body, and his recovery is doubtful.

New Illinois Corporations. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Springfield, Ill., May 2.—Certificates of in-corporation were issued to-day by Secretary of State Rose as follows: The Decatur Heating Company, Decatur; capital, \$190,000; operating a heating blant Incorporators—W. A. Bixby, B. E. Bramble and Charles Stratten.

The Doud Stock Car Company, West Virginia; capital, \$25,000; capital in Illinois, \$5,000.

Crystal City, Mo., May 2.—The gauge reads 15.1 feet, and failing. Boats down: U. S. King, p. m. Cape Girardeau, 5:40 p. m. Boats up. Columbia, 7:45 p. m.; Grey Eagle, 7:25 p. m.; Therter, 5 a. m.; Exporter and tow, 5:30 a. m.; Russell Lord and tow, 6:30 a. m. Westher loudy and warm.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION. THREE sets of single harness and spring ragon; cheap. 2007 Cass ave. PEDDLING wagon and fine storm buggy; heap, 2835 Lincoln. LUMBER in reviewing stand. Inquire 518 N. Sarah. WAITRESSES WANTED-S waitresses; must e experienced. Royal Hotel, East St. Louis. GIRLS WANTED-Respectable girls for light actory work; good pay, 420 N. Third st. YOUNG lady for office work; state experience and salary expected; references required. A 189 Republic. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general house work and cooking; \$20 per month. 5670 Cabanna

COOK WANTED-CLERK WANTED-Young married man as eneral stock clerk. Apply 420 N. Third st. BOY WANTED-Good boy; call Sunday morning. 532 N. Vandeventer. LACLEDE Ave., 3747-Six-room flat; all con-enlences; good condition, Owner at 3706 Laclede COOKS WANTED-Siz cooks. Royal Hotel, HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Reliable girl to assisting eneral housework; smail family; goowages, 2944 McPherson. NURSE. ETC.. WANTED-White woman to nurse and to assist with upstairs work; refer-ences. 2807 West Pine. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-A good German girl for general housework; good wages. 1818 Carr HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Cirl for general house GIRL WANTED-Girl to assist in housework and learn dressmaking. 3732 Finney. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Experienced girl to saist with general bousework, without washing

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

EAST END BUSINESS CORNER FOR SALE

For Sale or Lease. W. Cor. Sixth and Chestaut Streets JOS. DORMITZER.

West End Residence for Sale. 5149 Westminster Place. Double brick residence; 12 rooms; hot-water

104 N. Ninth St.

JOS. DORMITZER, 104 N. Ninth Se Jos. Dormitzer, 104 N. Ninth St. DWELLINGS AND FLATS.

MONEY TO LOAN.

JOS. DORMITZER, 104 N. Ninth St.

New, Desirable Residences for Sale, 5503 Clemens Ave., N. W. Cor. Belt-10 rooms, reception hall; hardwood floors and finish; stone porches; hot water, fur-nace, etc.; lot 50x152. Also-5507 Clemens Ave.—Adjoining the above; similarly arranged; lot 49x152.

Also—

JOS. DORMITZER, 104 N. Ninth St. COOK WANTED German or Swedish cook

NURSE WANTED Competent nurse to take care of twins; good wages; references required willing to leave city for summer. 4251 McPher-TADIES' stamping, \$4 to \$8 weekly; measy, work; take home, 719 N. Leftingwell, HARNESSMAKER WANTED Good harness-maker; call Sunday morning. 132 N. Vande-venter.

MARYLAND Ave., 481A-Room and board for gentlemen in a small family of adults; modern note, in first-class apartment. LUCAS Ave., 287.—Second-story front and connecting rooms; good board; \$4.50 and \$5 per week. WINDSOR Place, 3877-Three nicely furnished rooms, with or without board.

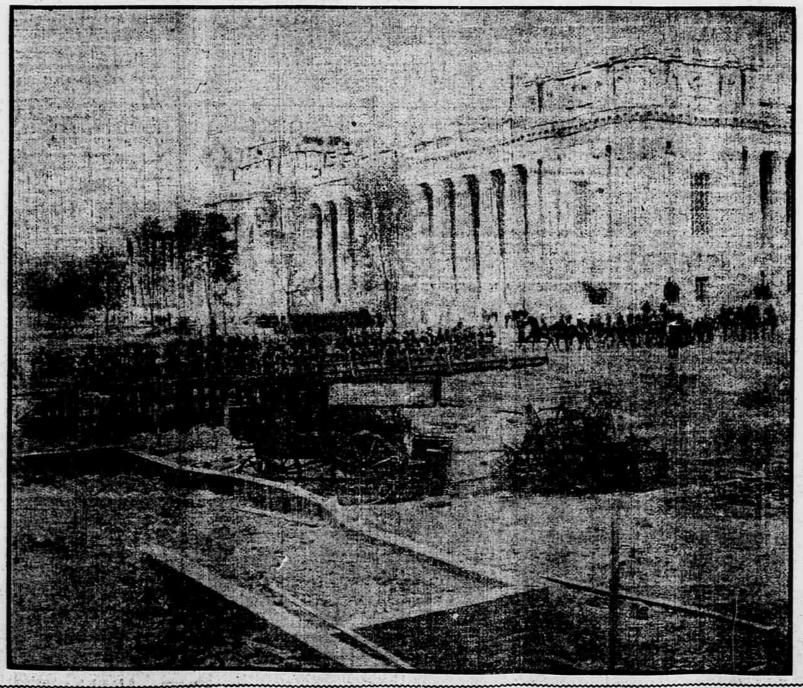
LAPAYETTE Ave., May Splenild south room and board; Compton Heights and Fourth st. cars; all conveniences; for two gentlemen. SEWING Machines, for two genuemen.

SEWING Machines Great bargains in sewing machines; we will sell all makes of high-grade-machines direct from the factory at cut prices life per day will buy new drop-head machine of any make; new drop-head machines 12150 up good secondhand machines at up; time or cash, all guaranteed; machines rented and repaired, needles and parts for all machines at half price; open evenings. New York Sewing Machine Co., 1203-1210 Franklin ave. Kinloch C 72.

FIFTY imported high-arm shop-worn sewifig machines of all makes; must be sold this week; 31 down. New York Sewing Machine Co., 1210 Franklin ave. Kinloch D 372. PAPIN St., 4359-Four-room brick; price SHERIDAN Ave., 2900-Four-room flat, in fine condition: newly japered and painted; every-hing modern. Inquire on premises, TENTH St., 2113 N.—One large, nicely fur-

PENDLETON Ave. 131-Second-story front and connecting rooms; larg., arg; private dwell-ing; hot bath, gas; 199 west. Finney and Easton cars, two or four gentlemen; 12.59 and 13 per CHATELAINE-Lost, beaded chatelaine, con-taining rings. Reward to finder if returned to 1864 West Bells place. WATCH-Lost, gold watch, with shell fob, at World's Pair Grounds; reward. F 173, Republic. FINE black borse; rubber-tired storm

TWENTY-SECOND UNITED STATES INFANTRY ABOUT TO DISBAND AFTER DEDICATION PARADE



Tired regulars crossing Lagoon on their way to their temporary barracks in the Educational Building after the parade on Thursday.